BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL, GAS, AND MINING DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES in and for the STATE OF UTAH

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPROVAL OF THE)	
NOTICE OF INTENT AND RECLAMATION)	ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
PLAN SUBMITTED BY MINERALS RECOVERY)	No. ACT/037/018
CORPORATION, SOUTH LISBON MINE, SAN)	
JUAN COUNTY, UTAH)	

THE STATE OF UTAH TO ALL OPERATORS, TAKERS OF PRODUCTION, MINERAL AND ROYALTY OWNERS, AND PARTICULARLY ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN TOWNSHIP 30 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, SLBM SAN JUAN COUNTY, UTAH.

Notice is hereby given that tentative approval was given by the Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining to Minerals Recovery Corporation, 575 Union Boulevard, Suite 304, Lakewood, Colorado 80228, to commence open pit and underground uranium mining on portions of Sections 35 and 36, Township 30 South, Range 25 East, SLBM, San Juan County, Utah. The name of the mine is the South Lisbon Mine, and the person representing the company in this matter is Mr. Eric Newman, President, Minerals Recovery Corporation, 575 Union Boulevard, Suite 304, Lakewood, Colorado 80228.

Minerals Recovery Corporation has fulfilled obligations under the Mined Land Reclamation Act of 1975 (Section 40-8, U.C.A., 1953, as amended) and will employ the following reclamation techniques, involving approximately 3 acres of surface disturbance.

During Operations:

- 1) Existing open pit and underground workings will be mined.
- 2) Existing roads will be utilized.
- 3) Waste material generated from the underground operation will be temporarily contained on existing waste dumps then periodically used as fill for the pit.
- 4) Waste generated in the pit operation will be dumped directly into an adjacent abandoned pit.
- 5) Ore will be stockpiled in existing areas until it is trucked out.

After Operations:

- 1) All extraneous debris, scrap metal, wood, and unusable buildings will be buried or removed from the property.
- All vent holes and portals will be sealed to prevent unauthorized entry.
- 3) Roads will be left in a stable condition for post-mining land uses.
- 4) Waste material will be removed and used to reduce the vertical height of the pit walls.
- 5) The pit will be fenced and peripheral drainage ditches will be installed to divert runoff around the pit. Warning signs will be placed around the pit.

6) The disturbed surface areas will be scarified, fertilized, and seeded.

Reclamation surety will be established upon final approval of the reclamation plan.

Any person or agency aggrieved by this decision is hereby requested to submit written protest within 30 days of August 25, 1978, to the Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining, 1588 West North Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah 84116, setting forth factual reasons for his complaint and thereafter, at a time and place heretobe established, appear before the Board of Oil, Gas, and Mining, to show cause, if any there be, why this plan should not be approved.

DATED this 17th day of August, 1978.

STATE OF UTAH

BOARD OF OIL, GAS, AND MINING

SCHEREE WILCOX

Secretary of the Board